

Ref #	Hits	Search Query	DBs	Default Operator	Plurals	Time Stamp
L1	1284	((135/119) or (135/120.3)).CCLS.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR; EPO; JPO; DERWENT; IBM_TDB	OR	OFF	2005/06/09 18:14
L2	11	("1871570"   "20020000241"   "3586013"   "3863659"   "4305414"   "4352362"   "4665935"   "5315736"   "6334455"   "6338356").PN. OR ("6681785").URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:15
L3	28	("2134879"   "2543684"   "2938524"   "3547136"   "3896830"   "4192333"   "4305414"   "4352362").PN. OR ("4665935").URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:16
L4	25	("2227554"   "2530765"   "2764765"   "2864389"   "3794054"   "3874397"   "4071917"   "4193413"   "4827958"   "4945936"   "5197504"   "5333634"   "5404896"   "5421355"   "5771912"   "Re29264").PN. OR ("6021795").URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:20
L5	11	("1622600"   "2186535"   "4858635").PN. OR ("5901726"). URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:22
L6	22	("2095340"   "2140164"   "2212862"   "2233397"   "3161931"   "3452401"   "3970227"   "4099533"   "4193413"   "4516418"   "4827958"   "5069050"   "5197504"   "5261436"   "5421355").PN. OR ("5662133"). URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:23
L7	17	("2705015"   "3223098"   "3794054"   "4236543"   "4757778"   "4979531"   "5238015"   "5417511"   "5458427").PN. OR ("5628336"). URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:25
L8	15	("4072158"   "4078572"   "4192333"   "4202363"   "4236543"   "4782846"   "5333634"   "5345962"   "5404896").PN. OR ("5615699"). URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:26

L9	30	("0528394"   "2120180"   "2185629"   "2543684"   "2989967"   "3058480"   "3114377"   "3655160"   "3656212"   "4029117"   "4086931"   "4148332"   "4491141").PN. OR ("4782846"). URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:26
L10	5	("2604897").URPN.	USPAT	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:43
L11	237	tent and (\$2ring with pole)	USPAT	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:43
L12	195	11 not 1	USPAT	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:43
L13	25	("1533820"   "1927387"   "2345377"   "3004592"   "3800814"   "3943952").PN. OR ("4072158").URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:48
L14	16	("1820002"   "20020092554"   "4074682"   "4195651"   "4637748"   "4966178"   "5069572"   "5328286"   "5620272"   "5651633"   "5797695"   "5884646"   "6094801"   "6203511"   "6629801").PN. OR ("6776179"). URPN.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:53
L15	1671	((135/114) or (135/116) or (135/118)).CCLS.	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR; EPO; JPO; DERWENT; IBM_TDB	OR	OFF	2005/06/09 18:58
L16	204	15 and ring	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR; EPO; JPO; DERWENT; IBM_TDB	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:58
L17	137	16 not (1 12)	US-PGPUB; USPAT; USOCR; EPO; JPO; DERWENT; IBM_TDB	OR	ON	2005/06/09 18:59
L18	23	("2266853").URPN.	USPAT	OR	ON	2005/06/09 19:01

The QR proposed rejection of Claim 25 in view of Pacoime '163 fails because if one is to consider the supporting substrate element 20 and the thin flexible sheet element 23 as proposed there is absolutely no teaching or suggestion of sheet 23 being detachably attached to "substrate" 20 as required in claim 25. There is absolutely no teaching of the lugs 16 (or 26 in Figure 2) detachably attaching the sheet 23 to substrate 20. The spec only states that the lugs anchor the film 23. It is clear from figure 2 that the shape of the lugs 26 would not allow them to be detachably attached and there is no teachings, suggestions or reasons one would make what is basically the skin 23 of the panel detachable from the core 20.

As to claims 72 and 73 the rejection proposed by QR considers the hook and loop fastening system between sheets 73 and floor 72 to meet the limitation of "attached at, at most, a limited number of discrete points". QR states that it must be noted that this limitation is purely functional. I fail to see how the limitation is purely function. It clearly recites that the sheets are attached to the floor at a limited number of discrete points. Limited number may be broad but it is not functional. Anyway, the spec teaches elements 14 of figure 1 to be the discrete points and states that only a few discrete points be used. The dictionary defines discrete as separate and distinct, not attached, unrelated. I wouldn't consider the points of contacts of the hooks and loops of the hook and loop attachment fastener (col. 7, line 27-30) to be separate and distinct, not attached, unrelated. Typically the hooks and/or loops are each connected to a common base or carrier sheet or web. this would make then not separate and distinct, attached and related. Further nothing in the Pacoima reference states that the hook and loop fastening system between floor 72 and sheet 73 is only at a limited number of "points". It appears to be continuous. Even if one wishes to consider that the hook and loop attachment fastener of col. 7, line 27-30 does meet attaching at discrete points (which I do not agree with) it certainly doesn't teach or suggest at most a limited or few "points". One can only gain from the reference that the hook and loop attachment fastener (col. 7, line 27-30) is applied over the entire floor surface.